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TO SELL

\$10,000

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Worth of Merchandise In Thirty Days

Means an EXTRA EFFORT on my part. This I will do by making such low prices on these goods that it will move them. In October I did the biggest business we ever had since I came to Alliance. I want to make this the best month of the year. You always get good goods and the best values at this store, but during this sale I am going to sell you good goods at such low prices that you will always appreciate it.

Remember that on Dec. 31, at 8 p. m., I WILL GIVE AWAY \$251 WORTH OF GIFTS TO MY PATRONS.

A ticket will be given for every dollar in cash that you pay into our store, whether on purchases or paid on account, entitling the holder to a chance on prizes worth from \$1 to \$100.

LADIES', MISSES and CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.

\$5.65 buys Ladies' M Coat worth \$8.00

\$9.95 " Ladies' M Coat worth \$12.00

\$2.95 " Ladies' Jacket, worth \$5.00

\$4.50 " Ladies' Jacket, worth \$6.50

\$8.95 " Ladies' Tan Jacket, worth \$12.00

\$4.95 buys Misses' Coat, worth \$5.50

\$2.48 " Misses' Jacket, worth \$5.00

\$2.48 buys Children's Coat with Muffler and Hood to Match and worth \$5.00.

95 cents buys Children's Coats that are worth \$2.50.

SHOES.

Ladies' Shoes worth \$1.75 to 2.25 at \$1.25.

Mens' Shoes worth, \$1.50 to \$1.95 at 98 cents.

Childrens Shoes worth 75 cents to \$1.25 at 68 cents.

Ladies' Felt Slipper, worth 1.50 to 1.75 at 98 cents.

Mens' Felt Slipper, worth \$1.00 at 59 cents.

NIGHT ROBES.

Ladies' Night Robes worth \$1.25 at 75 cents.

Misses' Night Robes, worth 75 cents at 48 cents.

BLANKETS AND QUILTS.

Gray Mimed Wool Blankets 12-4, worth \$4.00 at 12.48.

Gray all Wool at \$3.98

White all Wool at 3.98

Cotton Blankets, 4jc, 50c, 65c and 75c.

Quilts. 78c.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS.

\$10 buys Elegant Suit, worth \$16.50

\$12 " Elegant Black Suit, worth \$18

\$6.75 " Black Golf Suit, worth \$12.50

\$2.50 " Ladies' Walking Skirt, worth \$3.25

Ladies' Walking Skirt, worth \$5.00 at \$3.00.

Ladies' Golf Skirt, worth \$6.50 at \$4.20.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Two thousand yards of Prints that go at, per yard - 3 1-2c

One thousands yards of gingham that go at - 4c

Eight hundred yards of outing that will sell at - 5c

Five hundred yards dress goods worth 30 to 40 cents consisting of brocades, stripes, plaids and plain at - 20c

Twenty-five pieces of all wool dress goods worth 60, 65 and 75 cents at - 48c

Remnants of all wool dress goods go at cost and less.

Five hundred boys' two-piece suits, are \$3.50 for - 58c

OVERCOATS.

\$7.79 buys Men's Overcoats worth \$20. during this sale.

50c buys Boys' Overcoats to now to be closed out that soldfor \$2.75 and \$3.50.

One hundred pairs of Men's shoes worth \$2 to \$2.50 will be sold at - \$1.49

Seventy-five pairs of worth \$1 50 to \$1 75 go at - \$1 25

One lot of boys' and men's underwear worth from 50c to 60c goes at - 25c

100 men's suits worth \$15 go at - \$4 48

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Legal Advertisements.

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Application For Permission to Sell Minors' Real Estate.

In the District Court of Box Butte County in the matter of the application of Alla Gookin, guardian, to sell real estate.

This cause coming on for hearing upon the application of Alla Gookin, guardian of Raymond Gookin, minor, to sell the west half of Section 32, Township 22, north of Range 32, the northeast quarter of Section 31, and the northeast quarter of Section 35 in Township 22 north of Range 32 in the County of Box Butte and State of Nebraska, real estate of said wards, for the purpose of maintaining and educating said wards, and it appearing from the petition of said guardian that the personal property and the income of said wards is not sufficient to maintain and educate said minors and that it will be beneficial to said wards to sell said real estate. It is therefore, ordered that all persons interested in said real property appear before the undersigned at Rushville, Nebraska, on the 8th day of December, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian to sell said real estate for the purpose of maintaining and educating said minors.

It is further ordered, that notice of said hearing be given to all persons interested in said real estate by publication of this order in the ALLIANCE HERALD, a weekly newspaper published in said county, for four weeks immediately preceding said hearing.

W. H. WESTOVER,
Judge District Court.
Dated this 23d day of October, 1902. 11-14-5

Notice of Sale.

In the District Court of Box Butte County, Nebraska. A. M. Miller vs. E. S. Widby.

This cause came on for hearing upon the application of the plaintiff, to sell the real and personal of the co-partnership of Miller & Widby and it appearing to me that it is the best interest of all parties concerned that said property should be sold, it is therefore, ordered that the said E. S. Widby, receiver, proceed forthwith to sell all of the property, both real and personal, belonging to said co-partnership and now in his hands and under his control as such receiver. That such sale be by cash in hand and before selling such property notice of said sale to be published for four consecutive weeks in some newspaper of general circulation in Box Butte county. That the various pieces and parcels of real estate belonging to said co-partnership be offered for sale separately and that the personal property be advertised and offered for sale in lots or parcels which will sell to the best advantage to said co-partnership. It is further ordered, that after the completion of the sale of said property, the receiver herein make a full, complete and final report of all of his doings as such receiver and that he file the same with the Clerk of the District Court of said Box Butte County.

Done at chambers in city of Alliance, in said Box Butte County this 23d day of October, 1902.

W. H. WESTOVER,
Judge of the District Court.

Notice.

Order of Hearing on Petition for Settlement of Account of Guardian.

In the District Court of Box Butte County.

At a county court, held at the county court room in said county, Nov. 13, A. D. 1902. Present, D. K. Spacht, County Judge.

In the Matter of the Guardianship of Phillip Pullman.

On reading and filing the petition of Elizabeth Pullman praying a final settlement and allowance of her account, filed on the 15th day of November, 1902, and for her discharge, Ordered, That November 23, A. D. 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of this order is to be published in the ALLIANCE HERALD, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for two successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

D. K. SPACHT, County Judge.
(A true copy.) Seal.

PEANUT CURE FOR INSOMNIA.

Sufferer Asserts They Give Sure and Prompt Relief.

Peanuts as a cure for consumption are widely known and believed in. Says the Philadelphia Record, Nov. 14: "A Roxborough man comes forward with a peanut cure for insomnia. He says of it: 'I had been a poor sleeper for five years. Violent exercise, drugs and other remedies had given me no relief. Finally, at the suggestion of a vegetarian, I tried the peanut. I put beside by bed a bag of peanuts newly roasted, shelled and salted, and on my first attack of insomnia I ate fifty, masticating them very thoroughly—giving in fact twenty-five chews to each nut. While taking this large dose, I felt a gradual drowsiness stealing over me, and as soon as the dose was ended I fell asleep. Since that time I have always kept fresh peanuts by me at night. They have never failed.'

WHAT WAS SHE THINKING OF?

Actress, in Fear of Death, Regretted She Had No Fan.

Mr. Anderson tells a good story of Miss Elsworth during one of his American tours. In the midst of something approaching the wreck of the ship in which the company was traveling from a northern port to New Orleans, Anderson, rushing to the saloon to help the ladies, found Miss Elsworth with her maid, both in an agony of fear which had cured their seasickness. The perspiration was rolling down their faces. I assured them there was no danger. "No danger! No danger!" cried the actress hysterically. "Why, I can see the sky and sea through the ship's side. We are going down; the heat is suffocating—oh, dear, oh, dear, we are going down, I tell you, and—(looking everywhere around her)—my God! I have no fan!"

Engine Instead of Farmhand.

The farm hand and the farm horse are rapidly being supplanted on the level tracts of the west by the traction engine. The farms are large, comprising several hundred acres, sometimes 1,000, and usually without trees or stones. Under these conditions the engine can do any kind of work. It is a compact little machine run by gasoline, and not at all like the ordinary attachment to a thrashing machine. It runs a "gang plow" with five in a row, three or four harrows at a time, is coupled when desired to a separator for thrashing grain, runs the mill for grinding cattle feed, and hauls farm wagons to market laden with grain. In fact, there is scarcely a thing about farm work that the little traction engine will not do.

The Man Things.

The editor of the Glasgow Echo avers he is not inclined to be much of a sport, but he says, when "we meet a cinch in the road we recognize it." Thus habit led him to accept a proposition made by a friend the other day, and every time a passing woman felt to learn if her skirt was gaping or tucked in under her belt the friend was to give the editor a nickel, while for each woman who did not do one of these things in walking a block the editor was to give a dime. "We got 62 nickels," the molder of opinion concludes, "and paid him one dime—a lady with both arms full of parcels came along."—Kansas City Journal.

Growth of Postoffices.

Few things afford a better index of the progress of this country in population, and also of the character of the increase, than statistics of the Post-office Department showing the number of new postoffices created during the year. Thus it appears that in the year ended July 1, 1902, there was a gain of 294 postoffices in this country, involving an increase in the salary accounts of \$541,300. Accepting the view of the venerable Edward Everett Hale that every postoffice is equivalent to a public school as an educational agency, these figures have a still larger meaning and significance.

"Deacon" White's Career.

S. V. ("Deacon") White, the veteran of Wall street, who has just sold his seat on the New York Stock Exchange, says that when he began trading there over thirty years ago the transactions of a day seldom reached 200,000 shares, as against an average of 2,000,000 now. "Mr. White," said one of his old friends a day or two ago, "you have accomplished many big things on 'the street,' but your greatest achievement has been that in spite of your many vicissitudes you have always paid your debts."

Possibilities of the Trolley.

The ramifications of the trolley systems of this country are a source of never-ending wonder. Routes fifty and seventy-five miles long from the different large cities are common. So rapid has been the growth of the trolley throughout New England and the Middle States that within five years, it is predicted, one will be able to travel from Augusta, Me., to Chicago, and even much further west. The network of lines comprising this system will represent 7,500 miles.

That's What.

An editor works 365½ days per year to get out his paper—that's labor. Once in a while somebody pays him a year's subscription—that's capital; and once in a while some dead beat takes the paper a year or two without paying for it—that's anarchy. But later on, justice will overtake the last named creature, for there is a place where he will get his just deserts—that's hell.—Victoria Advocate.

Must Remain Legally Blind.

A German dancing master, who the other day appeared before the tribunal of Hamburg, Germany, for a trivial offence, was described in the charge-sheet as blind. He protested against this assertion, and politely requested the judge to correct the mistake, as there was nothing wrong with his eyesight. He was, however, informed that no alteration could be made. In consequence the man will remain legally blind as long as he lives.

What Might Have Been.

Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's offer on the part of the government of Great Britain to favorably consider the representation of the colonies in one or the other of the two houses of the imperial parliament approaches a revolution of the colonial system. Had England made such a proposition to the original American states, what a change would have been effected in the colonial history of America.

Has Attraction for Dogs.

A bulldog attacked Julius Hager, near his home in West New York, N. J., and the same brute snarled the teeth in his arm. Hager grabbed the dog by the tail and dashed out its brains against a telephone pole. This was the fourth dog that had attacked him within a month, and all of them he served in the same way.

How He Might Be Identified.

An amusing story is being told in Paris of an Auvergnat coal merchant of that city, who was found intoxicated in the streets. Asked who he was, he said he didn't know, "but go and ask the coal merchant to the Rue des Ecoles. If he is at home, I don't know who I am, if he's out, it's me."

Getting Rid of the Cause.

Doctor (fiding patient sampling a bottle of whisky)—Here, here, my man, that will never do. That's the cause of all the trouble. Facetious Patient—Well, then, fill your glass, doctor. Now we've found the cause, the sooner we get rid of it the better. —Glasgow Evening Times.

No Use as Fuel.

"As to the suggestion that the country's stock of unsold coals be used for fuel in this emergency," observed Mr. Naggus, literary editor of the Daily Bread, "all I have to say is that the idea is ridiculous. They will not burn. Most of them are too rotten."—Chicago Tribune.

The Future of Coal.

Apropos of Lord Kelvin's assertion that in 400 years the coal of the world will be used up M. Cartieux, chief engineer of the Northern Railway of France, says that in ten years, between petroleum and alcohol, coal-mining will not pay.

Long Felt Wants.

The profession of medicine and law are already overcrowded and young men are advised not to prepare for them. In at least two professions, however, there is a crying demand for trained men. They are forestry and soil physics.

Trouble in Australia.

The recent wholesale distribution of poison for the extermination of rabbits in Australia has been attended by an unexpected misfortune. Birds are being killed off, and the country is threatened with a pest of insects as the result.

Good Advice.

When you don't know what you're talking about, keep still. By wearing a wise look, trimmed with a lurking smile, you may be able to bluff along without anybody finding out how little you do know.—Exchange.

Strange Case.

A woman has su- for divorce because her husband "gives too much attention to the church." This will puzzle a lot of other women, who have heretofore thought they knew something about man.

Transit of Venus.

A transit of Venus occurs only four times in 233 years. It is most important to astronomers, because it gives them an opportunity of measuring the distance of the earth from the sun.

German Postal Stages.

The multiplication of railways has not diminished a number of postal stages in Germany. On the contrary, the number of stage drivers rose from 5,176 in 1896 to 5,314 in 1900.

The Popular Profession.

The reason why giving advice is so much more popular than taking it, is that it does not require one to be so many different kinds of people—Washington Times.

Wealthy Men Win Prize.

Twenty-five thousand pounds, the first prize in a Prussian state lottery, has been won by four members of a wealthy banking firm at Halle.

Curiosity for Dublin Museum.

Dublin museum now possesses a large stuffed elephant, the first mounted specimen ever exhibited in Ireland.

Judge's Philosophy.

"Few men are as good as they pretend to be." "Well, what of it? Few men want to be."—Judge.

Refraction of Precious Stones.

The refractive power of the diamond is 2.47; that of rock crystal only 1.5.